IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Norfolk Division

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CRIMINAL NO. 2:25cr

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v.
)
Delay or Destruction of Mail
18 U.S.C. § 1703(a)
(Count One)

Defendant.
)

MAY INDICTMENT

April 2025 TERM – at Norfolk, Virginia

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

## COUNT ONE

(Delay or Destruction of Mail)

Between on or about February 26, 2025 and March 1, 2025, in the Eastern District of Virginia, the defendant, KRISTIAN ARTHUR PEELE, a United States Postal Service employee, did unlawfully secrete, destroy, detain, and delay a letter, postal card, package, bag, and mail, entrusted to the defendant, and which was intended to be conveyed by mail, and carried and delivered by a carrier and other employee of the Postal Service, and forwarded through and delivered from any post office and station thereof established by authority of the Postmaster General and the Postal Service, in that the defendant discarded and caused to be discarded election mail, certified mail, and first-class mail at the 2300 block of South Street in Portsmouth, Virginia.

(In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1703(a).)

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